THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S.RAO

WRIT PETITION No.14432 of 2007

09.7.2007

Between:

Kamanchi Mohan Kumar, S/o.Venkateshwarlu

… Petitioner

AND

The Panchayat Secretary, Inturu Gram Panchayat,
Amarthalur Mandal, Guntur District.

And others.

… Respondents

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ORDER:

The petitioner is statedly member of Inturu Yerukala Fishermen Cooperative Society, fourth respondent herein. It appears, the fourth respondent was granted lease of eight village tanks situated in Inturu village. The petitioner alleges that the amount was paid by the person-in-charge of the fourth respondent society but the fishing order has not been issued to the fourth respondent. Therefore, he filed the instant writ petition.

It is well settled that a member of the society has no *locus standi* to ventilate grievances of the society as such. It is for the society or its managing committee or the person-in-charge to seek appropriate redressal if there is any inaction on the part of the respondents 2 and 3 in not granting fishing order. (see **Daman Singh v State of Punjab**[1] and **State of U.P. v C.O.D. Chheoki Employees' Co-op Society Ltd.,**[2]). The petitioner is given liberty to approach the person-in-charge in this regard.

The writ petition, with the above observations, is accordingly dismissed. No costs.

(**V.V.S.RAO, J**)

July 09, 2007
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[1] AIR 1985 SC 973 = (1985) 2 SCC 670

[2] AIR 1997 SC 1413=(1997) 3 SCC 681